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<b>UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT</b> <b>CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA - SAN FERNANDO VALLEY DIVISION</b>	
In re: NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF TELEVISION PROGRAM EXECUTIVES, INC.,  <div style="text-align: right;">Debtor(s).</div>	CASE NO.: 1:22-bk-11181-MB  ADVERSARY NO.: 1:24-ap-01051-MB  CHAPTER: 11
JEREMY W. FAITH, Chapter 11 Plan Fiduciary,  <div style="text-align: right;">Plaintiff(s).</div> <div style="text-align: center;">vs.</div> Wayneston Harbeson  <div style="text-align: right;">Defendant(s).</div>	<div style="text-align: center;"> <b>JOINT STATUS REPORT</b>  <b>[LBR 7016-1(a)(2)]</b> </div> <div style="padding-top: 10px;">           DATE: 10/23/2025            TIME: 1:30 p.m.            COURTROOM: 303            ADDRESS: 21041 Burbank Blvd.                              Woodland Hills, CA 91367         </div>

The parties submit the following JOINT STATUS REPORT in accordance with LBR 7016-1(a)(2):

**A. PLEADINGS/SERVICE:**

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|---|---|--|
| 1. Have all parties been served with the complaint/counterclaim/cross-claim, etc. (Claims Documents)? | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No            |
| 2. Have all parties filed and served answers to the Claims Documents?                                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes            | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No |
| 3. Have all motions addressed to the Claims Documents been resolved?                                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes            | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No |
| 4. Have counsel met and conferred in compliance with LBR 7026-1?                                      | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No            |

5. If your answer to any of the four preceding questions is anything other than an unqualified "YES," please explain below (*or on attached page*):  
See section G below.

**B. READINESS FOR TRIAL:**

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|----|--|---|
| 1. | When will you be ready for trial in this case?   |   |
|    | <u>Plaintiff</u>   | <u>Defendant</u>  |
|    | April 2026   | April 2026  |
| 2. | If your answer to the above is more than 4 months after the summons issued in this case, give reasons for further delay. |   |
|    | <u>Plaintiff</u>   | <u>Defendant</u>  |
|    | pre-trial motions  | explore settlement discussions while keeping the costs of doing so low; assuming settlement is not reached; pretrial motion and discovery motion practice |
| 3. | When do you expect to complete <u>your</u> discovery efforts?  |   |
|    | <u>Plaintiff</u>   | <u>Defendant</u>  |
|    | February 2026  | February 2026   |
| 4. | What additional discovery do you require to prepare for trial?   |   |
|    | <u>Plaintiff</u>   | <u>Defendant</u>  |
|    | written discovery and depositions  | written discovery and depositions   |

**C. TRIAL TIME:**

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| 1. | What is your estimate of the time required to present <u>your side of the case</u> at trial ( <i>including rebuttal stage if applicable</i> )? |                  |
|    | <u>Plaintiff</u>   | <u>Defendant</u> |
|    | Estimated 1 day  | One day          |
| 2. | How many witnesses do you intend to call at trial ( <i>including opposing parties</i> )?   |                  |
|    | <u>Plaintiff</u>   | <u>Defendant</u> |
|    | unknown at this time   | unknown          |

3. How many exhibits do you anticipate using at trial?

Plaintiff

unknown at this time

Defendant

Unknown

**D. PRETRIAL CONFERENCE:**

A pretrial conference is usually conducted between a week to a month before trial, at which time a pretrial order will be signed by the court. [See LBR 7016-1.] If you believe that a pre-trial conference is not necessary or appropriate in this case, please so note below, stating your reasons:

Plaintiff

Pretrial conference ☒ is ☐ is not requested  
Reasons:

Defendant

Pretrial conference ☒ is ☐ is not requested  
Reasons:

Plaintiff

Pretrial conference should be set after:  
(date) 03/26/2026

Defendant

Pretrial conference should be set after:  
(date) 03/26/2026

**E. SETTLEMENT:**

1. What is the status of settlement efforts?

The parties are continuing to engage in good-faith settlement discussions, which we expect to be successful with more time. See Section G.

2. Has this dispute been formally mediated? ☐ Yes ☒ No  
If so, when?

3. Do you want this matter sent to mediation at this time?

Plaintiff

☐ Yes ☒ No

Defendant

☐ Yes ☒ No

**F. FINAL JUDGMENT/ORDER:**

Any party who contests the bankruptcy court's authority to enter a final judgment and/or order in this adversary proceeding must raise its objection below. Failure to select either box below may be deemed consent.

Plaintiff

☒ I do consent  
☐ I do not consent

to the bankruptcy court's entry of a final judgment  
and/or order in this adversary proceeding.

Defendant

☒ I do consent  
☐ I do not consent

to the bankruptcy court's entry of a final judgment  
and/or order in this adversary proceeding.

**G. ADDITIONAL COMMENTS/RECOMMENDATIONS RE TRIAL: (Use additional page if necessary)**

The parties believe a resolution is highly likely with a further period for negotiation, and respectfully request a further 60 day continuance of the status conference hearing to minimize litigation costs and allow the parties to finalize their settlement negotiations.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: 10/17/2025

MARGULIES FAITH, LLP

Printed name of law firm

/s/ Meghann A. Triplett

Signature

Meghann A. Triplett

Printed name

Attorney for: Plaintiff, Jeremy W. Faith, Ch11 Plan F

Date: 10/17/2025

NEVADA BANKRUPTCY ATTORNEYS, LLC

Printed name of law firm

  
Signature

Matthew I. Knepper

Printed name

Attorney for: Defendant, Wayneston Harbeson

## PROOF OF SERVICE OF DOCUMENT

I am over the age of 18 and not a party to this bankruptcy case or adversary proceeding. My business address is:  
16030 Ventura Blvd., Suite 470, Encino, CA 91436

A true and correct copy of the foregoing document entitled: **JOINT STATUS REPORT [LBR 7016-1(a)(2)]** will be served or was served **(a)** on the judge in chambers in the form and manner required by LBR 5005-2(d); and **(b)** in the manner stated below:

**1. TO BE SERVED BY THE COURT VIA NOTICE OF ELECTRONIC FILING (NEF):** Pursuant to controlling General Orders and LBR, the foregoing document will be served by the court via NEF and hyperlink to the document. On *(date)* 10/17/2025, I checked the CM/ECF docket for this bankruptcy case or adversary proceeding and determined that the following persons are on the Electronic Mail Notice List to receive NEF transmission at the email addresses stated below:

☒ Service information continued on attached page

**2. SERVED BY UNITED STATES MAIL:**

On *(date)* 10/17/2025, I served the following persons and/or entities at the last known addresses in this bankruptcy case or adversary proceeding by placing a true and correct copy thereof in a sealed envelope in the United States mail, first class, postage prepaid, and addressed as follows. Listing the judge here constitutes a declaration that mailing to the judge will be completed no later than 24 hours after the document is filed.

JUDGE: Service on Judge not required per Judge Barash's Procedures re: Serving Judge's Copy of Documents (Rev. 1/8/24).

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**3. SERVED BY PERSONAL DELIVERY, OVERNIGHT MAIL, FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION OR EMAIL** (state method for each person or entity served): Pursuant to F.R.Civ.P. 5 and/or controlling LBR, on *(date)* 10/17/2025, I served the following persons and/or entities by personal delivery, overnight mail service, or (for those who consented in writing to such service method), by facsimile transmission and/or email as follows. Listing the judge here constitutes a declaration that personal delivery on, or overnight mail to, the judge will be completed no later than 24 hours after the document is filed.

SERVED VIA EMAIL

ATTORNEY FOR DEFENDANT: Matthew Knepper - mknepper@nvbankruptcyattorneys.com

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I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States that the foregoing is true and correct.

10/17/2025  
Date

Vicky Castrellon  
Printed Name

/s/ Vicky Castrellon  
Signature

This form is mandatory. It has been approved for use in the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Central District of California.

## **ADDITIONAL SERVICE LIST (if needed):**

### **1. TO BE SERVED BY THE COURT VIA NOTICE OF ELECTRONIC FILING (NEF):**

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